



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Donovan Wallace, et al.

Title: INTEGRATED METALLIC ACCESS FOR HIGH PORT DENSITY  
DSLAM

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**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of May 3, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: